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Applicant

: Piatt et al

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby requests a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application mailed January 8, 2002. Such an extension would make a response due on or before May 8, 2002. A check in the amount of \$530.00, of which \$400 is for the Extension of Time and \$130 is the Missing Parts fee, accompanies this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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